

U.S. Application Serial No. 10/522,582  
Helmling et al.  
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## **REMARKS**

Sequence identifiers were introduced to claims 42-44, now new claims 46-49, which relate to the elected nucleotide sequence, SEQ ID NO: 8. The other of the claim amendments were to form and not to substance.

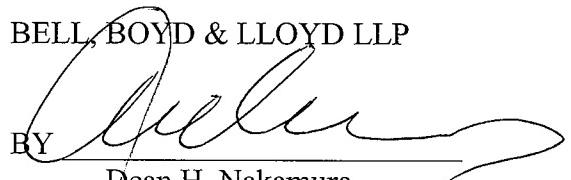
The Commissioner hereby is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 02-1818 for any fees required by the instant Supplemental Preliminary Amendment.

Favorable consideration and early indication of allowance are solicited earnestly.

Respectfully submitted,

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